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In re Application of

Stein, Gideon P.

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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b), filed August 30, 2004, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is GRANTED.

This application became abandoned for failure to timely reply to the non-final Office action mailed January 31, 2003. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, this application became abandoned on May 1, 2003. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed February 2, 2004.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b).

The file is now being forwarded to Technology Center 3600 for further examination on the merits.

Telephone inquiries should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 306-0482. Any telephone inquiries after September 28, 2004 should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3282.

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